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Johann Natterer))
	Confirmation No.: 1572
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) Art Unit No.: 3721
Filed: February 11, 2005)
) Examiner: Paul R. Durand
For: Method And Packaging Machine	For)
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Sir:

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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.97 a translation of Japanese JP 56-131117 is enclosed. Japanese JP 56-131117 was previously submitted in an information disclosure statement on February 16, 2007, so it is believed that no statement or additional fee is required. This is also being submitted within three months of the filing of an RCE (April 19, 2007). Applicant requests consideration of this document.

Respectfully submitted,

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